

## Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 10, 1908.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:17 a. m. and sets 4:42 p. m. High water at 12:20 a. m. and 12:54 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair tonight and Friday; fresh westerly winds.

## Cameron Hounds.

Hounds met at 2 p. m. Friday, December 4, at Rose Hill and were cast near the Fredericksburg pike, taking a line to the west, crossing some beautiful country fenced with stake and bound fences. They picked up the scent immediately, crossing Cameron Run up to Mount Hebron and then in a semi-circle back to the Capital Stock Farm. Several good up-standing post and rail fences confronted the tired riders and hunters here, nine miles as the crow flies. It was the fastest run of the season, the thoroughbred hunters being much in evidence. Those with the hounds at the death were only the master and two whips on "Tip Top," "Senegal Rad" and "Lucy Sutherland." Others in the field were Miss Herbert on "Delirium," Mrs. Smith on "Chippie Lee," Mr. Welby Carter on "The Monk," Mr. Lawson on "Potential" and Messrs. Hooff and Low on "Zoroaster" and "Catapult." Tuesday at 11 a. m. hounds were cast near Lewinsville and went away for several miles toward the Potomac, crossing the farms of Nubam, Loughlin, Smoot and others near Langley. A fox was found but was soon lost. Several good gallops were had, and the hounds worked well. Those in the field were Miss Herbert on "Delirium," Mr. Low on "Catapult," the master on "Potential" and the whips, Goings and McInerney, on "The Royal" and "Skimmer." Hounds will meet Friday at Quaker Lane at 2 p. m.

## Wedding.

Miss Maud Wheat, daughter of the late Buoni Wheat and Matilda Taliaferro Fitchugh, was married last night to Mr. Harold E. West, of Baltimore, a member of the editorial staff of the Baltimore Sun. The wedding took place in the drawing room of the Wheat home, 414 Duke street. Rev. P. P. Phillips, of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, performed the ceremony, and Mr. Sherman Fowler presided at the piano. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Harrie Fitchugh Wheat. Her little niece, Virginia Fitchugh Wheat, wearing a dainty gown of Paris muslin and carrying pink roses, preceded the bride. The bride's gown was of white tulle built on satin taffeta and trimmed with point lace. She carried Liberty roses. After the ceremony supper was served, the dining room being decorated in pink and white. Only the relatives and a few friends of the bride and groom were present. After receiving congratulations Mr. and Mrs. West left for their short trip south. They will make their home at "Mount Comfort," the country place of Mr. West, in Baltimore county.

## Deaths.

Mr. J. Henry Clapdore, an old and well-known citizen, died at his home on Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Lee, at half past 8 o'clock this morning. The deceased had recently been suffering from grip. Mr. Clapdore was about 70 years of age. He was a shipcarpenter by occupation. He leaves a widow and one son—Mr. J. H. Clapdore, driver of the Relief Hook and Ladder truck.

Mr. Conrad Wahl, who was recently paralyzed and who had been removed to the Alexandria Hospital, died at that institution about nine o'clock this morning. The deceased was born in Germany, but had lived in Alexandria since early manhood. He was 73 years old and a baker by occupation.

Jennie, infant daughter of E. B. Williams, died at her parents' residence, 308 Commerce street, last night.

## The Poll Tax.

Monday will be the last day on which the City Treasurer can receive the capitation tax, the payment of which is necessary in order to vote at the municipal election on Tuesday, June 14, 1904. Voters would do well to pay the tax as it entitles them to vote also at the November election for President and Congressmen. The payment of this tax should recommend itself to every man who desires a voice in public affairs, besides the capitation tax is set apart for the support of the public schools, and the poor man when he pays it knows that he contributes his mite to the education of his children, or if he has none of his own, to those of his neighbor. In order that every voter and citizen shall have the opportunity to pay the tax, City Treasurer Robinson will be at his office every day this week from nine o'clock to five, and on Monday until nine at night.

## Police Court.

[Mayor G. L. Simpson Presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Herbert Alexander, Herbert Fitchugh and Lorenzo Chase, all colored, arrested by Officers Young and Ticer, were charged with disorderly conduct and fighting in a saloon in the southern part of the city. The officers had heard that one of the parties drew a pistol. The evidence, however, did not substantiate this charge, and Fitchugh was fined \$5 and the others dismissed.

Albert Green, colored, arrested by Officer Knight charged with shooting at Joseph Wanzor, colored, was fined \$20.

Two boys, charged with entering a store and carrying off the contents of the money drawer, had their case continued.

## Fined Twenty Dollars.

On Tuesday evening last Albert Green, colored, became incensed at Joseph Wanzor, also colored, in the northeastern part of the city and discharged a revolver as him. The bullet missed its mark and was buried in a door. Officer Knight, upon hearing of the affair, arrested Green and brought him before the Mayor this morning. The evidence showed that Wanzor had acted in a familiar manner toward Green, when the latter drew the pistol and discharged it at him. Green in his defense said he had no intention of shooting Wanzor and that he fired the pistol to frighten him. The accused was fined \$20.

The rainy and dismal weather of yesterday was followed last night by a clear sky. Today fair and mild conditions

## The New Bank.

The directors of the Alexandria National Bank to be opened early next year met last night and discussed matters relating to the new institution. One-half of the capital stock of the bank has been paid in which will authorize the Comptroller of the Currency to permit the officers of the new bank to commence business at any time they may deem fit. It is proposed to open the bank as early in January as possible in offices to be fitted up temporarily on the second floor of their building. By the first of February the repairs being made on the first floor will have been completed, and then that floor will be utilized. The directors will hold an adjourned meeting on the 28th to choose the bookkeepers and other employees of the bank.

## Personal.

Mrs. John F. Rixey and Miss Rixey have issued cards to a reception on the afternoon of December 15th, at the residence, No. 1700 Fifteenth street, N. W. Washington.

The condition of Mr. J. T. Preston, who was accidentally shot on Tuesday night, remains practically unchanged, though he was resting comfortably today.

The marriage of Miss Sara Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Taylor, of this city, and Mr. Archibald E. Hoxton, of the Episcopal High School, will take place in St. Paul's Episcopal Church December 16 at 8 o'clock.

## Circuit Court for the City.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]

L. P. Haslup and S. T. Beacham vs. the Alexandria Insurance Co.; demurrers overruled and thirty days given defendant to file exceptions.

J. M. Johnson, admr. of W. H. McVeigh, vs. J. H. McVeigh; decree for sale of property on south Columbus street.

Court adjourned for the term.

In the case of Frank Zell against Brenner & Knight, a suit for \$1,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been due to negligence on the part of the defendants the jury yesterday evening returned a verdict for the defendants.

## Concert.

All who attend the concert at the Opera House tonight are promised a treat, as no pains have been spared to make this an enjoyable affair. Those who can should attend, as the purpose for which the concert is given is a laudable one. Among those who will take part are Mrs. J. H. McKahn, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Grace M. Ford, Miss Mamie Devitt, Miss Raphael Haas, Miss Sadie Lewis and Miss Virgie Upton; Dr. John A. Exler, Capt. J. V. Davis, Mr. Plitt and daughters, Messrs. Emil Ernest, P. F. Downey and Mr. Charles Lucas. The accompanists will be Mrs. Barker, Mrs. McKahn and Mr. Starnell.

## Knights of Columbus.

At the regular meeting of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, last night, the following officers were elected: C. T. Helmuth, grand knight; Wm. Whitcomb, deputy grand knight; W. J. Macfarland, chancellor; F. T. Quinn, recorder; R. L. Carne, financial secretary; S. A. Breen, treasurer; W. F. Carne, senior lecturer; J. T. Sweeney, advocate; T. D. Downey, warden; J. E. Brenner, inside guard; E. A. Gorman, trustee; C. T. Helmuth and E. A. Gorman, delegates to the State Council; E. J. Macfarland and Wm. Whitcomb, alternates.

## Shot at by Negro.

Conductor W. H. Smithers of the Southern Railway was shot at by a negro near Culpeper on Tuesday. He was on platform of one of the cars at the time and the bullet struck the brass knob of the door and glancing slightly injured one of Mr. Smithers's fingers. A day or two ago a negro was shot by conductor Nagel. The darkey who was armed with a Winchester rifle, refused to pay his fare and was delaying the train crew when he was shot.

## An Excellent Repertoire.

From the long list of plays the Harrison-Adams Theatre Company are presenting, the following have been selected for the Alexandria engagement, which commences Monday, December 14, at the Opera House: "Down on Cowslip Farm," "For Liberty and Love," "Hearts and Flowers" (Wednesday matinee), "East Lynne," "A Young Wife," "The Tie That Binds," "Pink Dominoes" and "Deadwood Dick."

## Modern Woodmen.

At a meeting last night of Alexandria Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, the following officers were elected: B. Weil, venerable counselor; C. W. Beator, worthy advisor; M. Jaffa, banker; Dr. Rittenour, clerk; E. W. Starnell, escort; O. H. Daniel, watchman; L. Strasburger, secretary; W. Wildt, J. Wolf and H. Friedlander, managers. Two new members were initiated and two others elected.

## Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.] Beattie Burrage vs. Constance Burrage; decree confirming sale of property on Fairfax street, between King and Cameron streets.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Judge Anderson in Equity Court No. 1 in Washington on Tuesday granted a divorce to Wm. L. Naylor from Isa B. Naylor.

The case of William Trigger, who is charged with cutting Charles Nowland, will come up in the Police Court tomorrow morning.

Elliott Douglas, arrested Tuesday night as a suspicious character, and whose case was postponed in the Police Court, was dismissed this morning. Douglas was arrested during the burning of Mr. Wm. Recker's stable.

Mr. W. E. Hamerley, who recently purchased the Drovers' Hotel building in West End, will use the material of that structure in the erection of a residence at the southwest corner of Cameron and Henry streets.

The interesting report of the operations of the city gas works, prepared by Lieut. Monroe, the efficient clerk of the works, which was submitted to the City Council on Tuesday last, is published in another column.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to George E. Wagner and Mary J. Tavenor, of Leesburg, and to Amos T. Hopkins and Kate S. Riston, both of Fairfax county.

The Old Dominion Glass Company yesterday sent South seven cars loaded with glass ware. This is the largest shipment of glass ever made from this city.

A license was issued in Rockville, Md., yesterday for the marriage of Robert Thomas Titus and Miss Mary Adelaide Perry, both of Leesburg, Va.

G. L. Boothe, commissioner, has sold to H. L. Strider a house and lot on the west side of

WE have completed our preparations for the holidays.

Although we are prepared to supply almost any demand, it is obvious that better selections may be made now than during the rush immediately preceding Xmas.

We desire to especially emphasize the fact that we recognize but one quality—THE BEST—and that our prices for the best are absolutely THE LOWEST.

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Fairfax street, between King and Cameron,  
for \$1.11.

A meeting of the Clerks' Union will be held tonight.

## WEDDINGS.

The marriage of Mr. Braxton Harrison Tabb, of Richmond, and Miss Perrin Farrow, of Laurens, S. C. was solemnized in Laurens yesterday evening.

Brandon, on James river, was the scene of a beautiful wedding yesterday when Miss Gulelna Harrison was married to Mr. Richard Randolph Cuyler, of Culpeper.

Mr. Arthur Peyton McCarty, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Ellie Spotswood Dickinson, daughter of Mrs. William H. Dickinson of Caroline county, were married yesterday at Grace Episcopal Church in that county.

Sunnyside, the home of C. E. Ahalt, nine miles north of Leesburg, was the scene of a pretty wedding when Miss Laura May, his daughter, became the bride of Mr. James C. Bovey, of Lisbon, Ia., a nephew of F. W. Shafter, of Leesburg.

## The Market.

Georgetown, Dec. 10.—Wheat 75a32.

[For other news matter see first and fourth pages.]

## Testimonial Concert.

At the Opera House in this city on December 10, a grand concert will be given by the best local talent in the city, assisted by first-class talent from Washington. The object of this concert is to assist Mr. Timothy White, a blind man, who is worthy of anyone's charity. Tickets for this testimonial can be procured from any of the local preachers. The concert will be under the supervision of Manager Harper.

## Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Richard Gibson.

## Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by E. S. Leubacher & Sons, druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottles free.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Stomach Troubles, and makes rich, red blood, health and strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure rebuilds without tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. W. Atkinson, of West Virginia, says: "I have used a number of bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have found it to be very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends." Sold by all druggists.

## Fine Groceries.

We have a full line of FANCY and STAPLE GROCERIES. These goods were carefully selected and the prices are fixed in accordance with our determination to give NO PREMIUMS and to do a CASH business. We are receiving weekly from the Valley of Virginia choice products. Real Old Virginia Buckwheat, Butter, Large Black Walnuts, Eggs and some of the finest Sweet Potatoes you ever saw are among recent receipts. Judging alone from the large increase in the sales of late you would realize that the people see some advantage in using our Tea and Coffee. Try our 25c Coffee and 50c Tea. We have Pure Sweet Cider, the best Cape Cod Cranberries, Choice Apples, &c.; also some extra nice Whole Wheat Flour. We offer special bargains in Canned Fruits and Vegetables. We will have in a few days some very fine ASPARAGUS TIPS at 15c per can, and extra-large cans at 25c. Malaga Grapes 10c lb. Heinz New Cucumber Pickles just received. They are the best on the market.

E. M. ANDERSON,  
St. Asaph and Duke streets.  
Home 'Phone 36. Bell 'Phone 1015.  
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## Gas Light.

A good deal has been said on this subject of late. From my experience nine times in ten the gas makers are blamed when they are not at fault. I always have a good light because I pay attention to my lamps and mantles. My improved LAMPS and MANTLES will do as much for you if you will call at my store and see what we have in this line; it will be worth your time. The Gas Lamp and Mantle branch of my business has increased a great deal of late, and I hope soon to have a man to look after it exclusively. In the meantime I will do the best I can to supply your wants. Gas Lamps, \$1.25 up. Mantles, 10c up. Try our "6 for \$1.00" mantles.

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POTOMAC FLOUR—30 barrels of Potomac Flour, very high grade, received today.

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CHOICE MACKEREL, for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN.

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PRACTICAL XMAS PRESENTS  
FOR BOTH SEXES.

Ladies' and Misses' New Wrist Bags, Each 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and.....	\$1.25	Ladies' Black Silk Waists, \$3.98 and.....	\$4.98
Misses' and Ladies' Pocket-books, Each 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and.....	\$1.50	Ladies' Wool Sweaters, Each.....	\$2.25
Fancy Mirrors, 25c, 35c and.....	50c	Misses' Tuxedo Rain Coats, Each.....	\$2.98
Kid Gloves, Our own, Pair.....	98c	Ladies' Automobile Rain Coats, Each.....	\$4.98

## Fine Furs.

Kid Gloves, Fowles, Pair.....	\$1.50	Round Fur Neck Scarfs with tails, Each, 98c, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and.....	\$6.50
Applique Shawns and Scarfs, Each 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and.....	\$2.50	Flat Fur Sets, Each, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10.00 and.....	\$12.50
Chenille Table Covers, Each 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5 and.....	\$3.50	Ladies' Fur Muffs, Each, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50 and.....	\$8.00
Ladies' Misses' and Men's Umbrellas, Each 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5 and.....	\$6.00	Misses' and Children's Fur Sets, Each 98c, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$2.98, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6.50 and.....	\$8.00
New Towels, all kinds, 12c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00		

## Appropriate Gifts for Men.

White Aprons, 15c, 25c, 35c and.....	50c	New Neckties, Each, 25c, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00
Infants' Knit Booties, Pair 10c, 15c, 25c and.....	50c	Suspenders in Fancy Boxes, Price, \$2.50, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and.....	\$1.50
Fancy Garters in box, Pair 25c and.....	50c	Men's Umbrellas, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00 and.....	\$6.00
Infants' Knit Socks, Each 50c, 75c, \$1 and.....	\$1.25	Men's Shirts, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and.....	\$2.00
Infants' Waist Leggings, all-wool white and black, Pair 50c and.....	75c	Men's Dress Scarfs, 50c, \$1.00 and.....	\$1.50
Children's Brown Corduroy Leggings, Black Velvet Leggings and Tan Leather Leggings, Pair.....	\$1.00	Men's Outing Pajamas, Suit, \$1.00 and.....	\$1.50
Children's Knit Golf Caps 25c and.....	50c	Men's Outing and Muslin Night Robes, 50c and.....	\$1.00
Ladies' Dressing Sackies, Each 50c and.....	\$1.00	Men's Fancy Hose, Price, 12c, 25c and.....	50c
Ladies' Wool Skirts, Each 50c, \$1 and.....	\$1.50	Men's Collars, Each 12c and.....	25c
Wool Fascinators, Each 25c, 50c and.....	75c	Men's Cuffs, 12c and.....	25c
Wool Knit Shawls, Each 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and.....	\$1.50	Men's Wool Sweaters, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.98 and.....	\$2.50
Ladies' Black Mercerized Underskirts, Each 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and.....	\$3.98	Men's Cardigan Knit Jackets, \$1, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.25 and.....	\$2.50
New Fancy Silk Stock Collars, Each 25c, 50c, 60c and.....	98c	Men's Warm Winter Underwear from 50c to.....	\$1.50
New Silk and Applique Collars, Each 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$5.75 and.....	\$3.98	Men's Dress Gloves, Price, 50c, 75c, \$1 and.....	\$1.50
Ladies' and Misses' Handkerchiefs, plain and embroidery, Each 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and.....	\$1.50	Men's Unlaundered Shirts, Each 35c, 50c and.....	75c
Fine Writing Paper, Box 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00	Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, Each 12c and.....	25c
Fancy Toilet Sets, brush, mirror and comb, in pretty box, Set \$1, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2,.....	\$4.98	Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, Each, 25c, 50c, 75c and.....	\$1.00
		Men's Silk Mufflers, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and.....	\$1.98
		Men's New Dress Suit Cases from \$2.50 to.....	\$6.00

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